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IN RE APPLICATION OF  
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FOR: **POLYNUCLEOTIDE ENCODING A NOVEL ACYL COENZYME A,  
MONOACYLGLYCEROL ACYLTRANSFERASE-3 (MGAT3), AND USES  
THEREOF**

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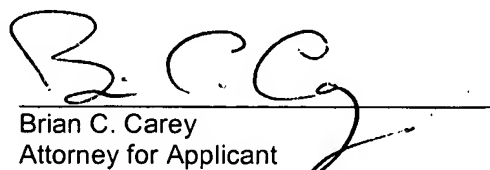
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